



General Assembly

Substitute Bill No. 5212

January Session, 2001

**AN ACT REQUIRING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A DRUG DOCKET
FOR YOUTHFUL OFFENDERS IN BRIDGEPORT.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 51-181b of the general statutes is repealed and the following
2 is substituted in lieu thereof:

3 The Chief Court Administrator [may] shall establish in any
4 geographical area court location or juvenile matters court location in
5 Bridgeport, and may establish in any other geographical area court
6 location or juvenile matters court location, a docket separate from
7 other criminal or juvenile matters for the hearing of criminal or
8 juvenile matters in which a defendant is a drug-dependent person, as
9 defined in section 21a-240. The docket in a geographical area court
10 location shall be available to, but not be limited to, offenders who are
11 sixteen to twenty-one years of age and who could benefit from
12 placement in a substance abuse treatment program.

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